



"a confederation of trade associations, regional and sectoral chambers of commerce and industry, bilateral business councils and employer organisations in Sri Lanka."

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To our stakeholders:

We recognize that a key requirement for participation in the UN Global Compact is the annual preparation and posting of a Communication on Engagement (COE) that comprises of a Chief executive statement of continued support for the UN Global Compact, a description of practical actions in support of the UN Global Compact, and a measurement of outcomes or expected outcomes.

We are late in creating, sharing and posting our COE report due to the need for attending to multiple deadlines on a number of initiatives being implemented by our organization during this period in time.

We hereby ask for an extension period in order to be able to post a COE that describes our organization's efforts and progress in support of the UN Global Compact. Our COE will be posted on the UN Global Compact website by 29th January 2016 at the latest.

Thank you,

Yours faithfully

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